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2 FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
3 SOUTHERN DIVISION

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5 JOEL GOLDMAN,

6 Plaintiff,

7 v.

CASE NO: 1:05-CV-35

8 HEALTHCARE MANAGEMENT
9 SYSTEMS, INC. and THOMAS
E. GIVENS,

10 Defendants.

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14 TESTIMONY OF THOMAS STEPHENSON

15 DURING EVIDENTIARY HEARING 3/18/08

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18 BEFORE: THE HONORABLE PAUL L. MALONEY
19 United States District Judge
Kalamazoo, Michigan
20 March 18, 2008

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3 at approximately 11:46 a.m.

4 PROCEEDINGS

5 THE COURT: All right. Do you wish to call any live
6 witnesses on Mr. Jacobson?

7 MR. KAY: Yes.

8 THE COURT: Okay. Go ahead.

9 MR. KAY: Okay.

10 THE COURT: We will start.

11 MR. KAY: Mr. Stephenson.

12 Mr. Stephenson, step forward and be sworn in,
13 please.

14 THOMAS MELVIN STEPHENSON - SWORN

15 COURT CLERK: Please state your full name and spell
16 it slowly for the record.

17 THE WITNESS: Thomas, T-h-o-m-a-s, Melvin,
18 M-e-l-v-i-n, Stephenson, S-t-e-p-h-e-n-s-o-n.

19 THE COURT: You may be seated, sir.

20 MR. KAY: Your Honor, I recognize this is a horse of
21 a little bit different color in that it's a hearing--
22 evidentiary hearing and not a trial, I would move the admission
23 of Plaintiff's Exhibits 1 and 2.

24 MR. SMITH: I object, your Honor. I object
25 specifically to the affidavit provided by Mr. Tom Givens

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1 because it contains testimony that's inadmissible under Rule
2 702. I also object to the mass bulk offer of evidence, two
3 three-ring binders as one exhibit. It makes it difficult to
4 sort out and keep track of what is admitted and what is not,
5 but in particular in my brief, because I did not see these
6 exhibits before this morning, in my brief perusal this morning,
7 I did find that one objectionable declaration, your Honor.

8 THE COURT: Mr. Kay, what is your response to the
9 objection?

10 MR. KAY: I don't understand the second objection. I
11 think we have covered everything that's in there, it's
12 appropriate, it's authenticated, it's been a part of the case.
13 Do you want me to move it tab by tab? I'm happy to do that.

14 The objection as to the declaration of Givens, again
15 I recognize it's a horse of a different color. I can cover the
16 same subject matter with Mr. Stephenson.

17 THE COURT: All right. Well, here's what we will do
18 for now, in the interest of moving things along, I'll take
19 under advisement-- Your objection is to the Givens
20 declaration, and then--

21 MR. SMITH: A lack of opportunity to review the
22 entirety of the materials, your Honor. It would be, if we have
23 covered it all as Mr. Kay represents, the other exhibits, I
24 don't object to, but the Givens affidavit I do. I do not
25 believe that Mr. Kay is accurate, however, when he says we have

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1 covered every exhibit.

2 So I would agree to allow Mr. Kay to examine
3 Mr. Stephenson on exhibits, but I think it would be
4 appropriate--

5 THE COURT: So you want some time to review all the
6 exhibits in the binders to make sure they are coincident with
7 other materials involved in the case, is that what I hear you
8 saying?

9 MR. SMITH: That's almost exactly right.

10 THE COURT: Okay.

11 MR. SMITH: If I could suggest that we admit in
12 portions of Defendants' Exhibit 1 as we go along, and that
13 would permit me an opportunity to object at the time. Pre
14 admission is usually a process that's followed when the sides
15 have exchanged exhibits and had an opportunity, so.

16 THE COURT: Well, the other thing I can do would be
17 just to give you time to look through the materials, and then
18 recognizing that there is probably going to be, hopefully, I
19 don't know, but hopefully, a large portion of the exhibit that
20 for which there will not be any objection. I think it probably
21 would be better use of our time if we would give you the time,
22 you know, when we are not on the record to go through the
23 exhibits.

24 So I will-- what I'll do is I'll note your objections
25 for the record and give you the opportunity to go through the

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1 materials and see if there is anything in there. Obviously
2 you've made an objection regarding the Givens' affidavit, but
3 if there are other materials you have a reservation, about
4 after you review it, then we will take the ones you've got
5 objection to as opposed to taking the time to move each sub
6 part of the exhibit which might take some time.

7 MR. SMITH: That's fine.

8 THE COURT: Why don't we do it that way. I think
9 that is the most efficient way to do it.

10 MR. SMITH: That's fine, your Honor.

11 THE COURT: All right. With that understanding,
12 Mr. Kay, you may inquire.

13 MR. KAY: Let me, before I start, there actually was
14 one exhibit that was at Tab 9 that was not referenced. The
15 exhibit at Tab 9 is another version of HMRA95 from Mr. Goldman,
16 this is a version that was produced to us in his 2005
17 production under the stipulated order. And I have included it
18 because it is another example of HMRA95 that does not have a
19 copyright notice.

20 If you'll recall in the Goldman 1979-1988 folder that
21 was given to Mr. Jacobson, there were two versions of HMRA95,
22 one had a copyright notice, this one doesn't-- the other one
23 didn't, and now we've got yet another version in front of us
24 from a Goldman production in 2005 that does not.

25 In fact, that has one-- the version, one version out

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1 of the 1979-88 Goldman folder that Jacobson has copyright Joel
2 Goldman 1979, that is a folder, the next one has only copyright
3 Joel Goldman no year. And the one that you're looking at here
4 has no reference to copyright notice at all. So we've got a
5 new third version.

6 THE COURT: Mr. Stephenson, if you need some water.

7 THE WITNESS: I've got some. Thank you.

8 THE COURT: Okay.

9 MR. KAY: I need a couple of minutes to set up.

10 THE COURT: Do you want me to stand down for five
11 minutes or maybe everybody needs a break.

12 MR. KAY: Sure. How late did you want to go before
13 lunch?

14 THE COURT: Well, we didn't start until 10:00, so I
15 planned to go until around 12:30 or so.

16 Why don't I stand down and you can do your
17 electronics in the five minute period, everybody probably needs
18 a break anyway.

19 MR. KAY: Thank you.

20 THE COURT: We will resume at noon.

21 You may step down for now, Mr. Stephenson.

22 COURT CLERK: All rise.

23 Court is in recess.

24 (At 11:53 a.m., recess.)

25 (At 12:04 p.m., proceedings continued.)

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1 THE COURT: All right, Mr. Stephenson, if you want to
2 step forward, sir.

3 We'll go to about 12:30, 12:40, if you get a natural
4 break, and then we will break for lunch.

5 MR. KAY: All right. Great.

6 And Mr. Smith just asked me, and I think it probably
7 makes sense, Mr. Stephenson has some things to offer on the
8 Daubert motion on Mr. Jacobson, and he also has some
9 information to offer on the Thomas motion, I'm happy to put it
10 all in right now.

11 THE COURT: Mr. Smith, what is your pleasure in that
12 regard, sir?

13 MR. SMITH: I would prefer that as well, your Honor.

14 THE COURT: All right. Do it all at once?

15 MR. SMITH: Well, for the convenience of the witness.

16 THE COURT: All right. That's fine. All right. We
17 will do it that way.

18 MR. KAY: All right. Great. Thank you.

19 DIRECT EXAMINATION

20 BY MR. KAY:

21 Q. Mr. Stephenson, why don't you introduce yourself to Judge
22 Maloney.

23 A. Tom Stephenson.

24 Q. Who are you?

25 A. I'm president and CEO of Healthcare Management Systems.

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1 Q. How long have you been with Healthcare Management Systems?

2 A. It will be 23 years next month.

3 Q. Why don't you give us your educational background?

4 A. I graduated from Vanderbilt University in 1983 with a
5 bachelor's degree in-- with a major in math and a minor in
6 computer science.

7 Q. When you graduated where did you go to work?

8 A. I went to work for American Metal Centers as a computer
9 programmer.

10 Q. What was American Medical Center?

11 A. American Medical Centers was a small company in Nashville
12 that owned hospitals, roughly at the time I started, probably
13 12 to 15 hospitals.

14 Q. How long were you at American Medical Centers?

15 A. Right about a year.

16 Q. One year?

17 A. One year.

18 Q. And then where did you go to work?

19 A. I went to work for Advanced Information Concepts, which
20 later became Healthcare Management Systems.

21 Q. And what-- Let's jump back to American Medical Centers
22 for a moment. What did you do in the year that you were
23 employed there?

24 A. I was a computer programmer, an RPG programmer.

25 Q. RPG programmer. Would you explain what RPG programming

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1 is?

2 A. RPG is just a language, Report Program Generator, and
3 basically I wrote programs using that language.

4 Q. And then a year later you joined HMS?

5 A. Yes.

6 Q. And what was your job when you joined HMS?

7 A. Same thing, I basically went to work there doing computer
8 programming as well.

9 Q. When was HMS formed?

10 A. Well, I went to work there in April of '85, and they had
11 been in business roughly about a year, I believe, sometime in
12 '84, I think, is when they started.

13 Q. Who started HMS?

14 A. Tom Givens and I think later John Doss joined Tom with the
15 company.

16 Q. And when you joined, how many people were there at HMS?

17 A. There was probably four or five full-time people including
18 Tom Givens and John Doss. There may have been one or two
19 part-time people at the time.

20 Q. Was your programming work initially at HMS again RPG
21 programming?

22 A. Yes.

23 Q. And how many years experience do you have in RPG
24 programming?

25 A. I actively programmed probably around twelve years or so

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1 in different capacities, but programming would be part of my
2 responsibilities during that time. I probably-- I stayed in
3 programming in some capacity another three or four years after
4 that before I moved into a role which-- where my programming
5 actively kind of stopped.

6 Q. So what would be the total experience with RPG
7 programming?

8 A. Probably 13 to 15 years, something like that.

9 Q. Now, just as a broad question, can you, and this will take
10 some time for you to lay out, but can you describe kind of the
11 progression that you went through from when you started at HMS
12 to when you became president and CEO?

13 A. Well, again starting there primarily as a programmer as my
14 day-to-day function during those, you know, early years, as in
15 any small company, you do just a little bit of everything, I
16 programmed, I answered the phones, whatever needed to be done.
17 Moving and programming was my primary responsibility, whether
18 it be just as a programmer or later programming and maybe
19 managing other programmers.

20 Somewhere into the early '90s and early to mid '90s,
21 we carved out our customer support function, our help desk
22 function into a separate group, and I moved over and kind of
23 started that particular function, continuing to do some
24 programming during that time, but through the mid '90s really
25 kind of worked to build up that part of the business.

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1 Moving more into the late '90s, we separated out an
2 implementation function where we had individuals that actually
3 went out and installed the systems, and I took over kind of
4 building that up and managing that through the late '90s.

5 Somewhere around 2000, I was made chief operating
6 officer of the company which at that point my, you know, my
7 programming in the active way pretty much stopped, and I took
8 over management again of the support function, the
9 implementation function, but as well managing the development
10 or the programming area, but not actively programming. And I
11 was COO until, I think, June of 2005, when I became president.
12 Q. When you served as the vice president of customer services
13 and were running the support installation group, I think you
14 said the late 1990s, what was the size of the department that
15 you were managing?

16 A. Support department, mid to late '90s, we probably had 20
17 to 30 people doing probably combination of help desk support as
18 well as at that time also doing some implementations. We grew
19 the implementation department, particularly in the late '90s
20 and most likely-- in the 30 to 40 range in that area during
21 that particular time frame. And from the programming
22 standpoint, during that period of time, there was again, around
23 20 to 25 programmers.

24 Q. And then when you became the chief operating officer and
25 up until your promotion to president in 2005, what was the size

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1 of the programming group and the customer support group and the
2 installation group?

3 A. Programming grew to around 40 to 45, by the time I became
4 president it was around that number. Implementation we
5 actually grew that particular part of the company through
6 2004-2005 to 60 to 70 people or probably around 60. And the
7 customer support department stayed in the 30 to 40 range during
8 that particular time frame.

9 Q. What did the customer support group do?

10 A. They basically answered the phone. Our customers, if a
11 customer has a question or a problem about the software or how
12 to use something, then they called our help desk or customer
13 support department and they take the phone calls and try to
14 help the customer.

15 Q. What is the total employment of HMS today?

16 A. We are around 375 employees today.

17 Q. Mr. Stephenson, I asked you in preparation for today to
18 investigate the number of HMS's installations of software
19 packages including your medical records module since January of
20 2002.

21 A. Yes.

22 Q. Did you do that?

23 A. Yes.

24 Q. And how many have there been?

25 A. 143.

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1 Q. And I also asked you to investigate the number going back
2 to 1998, did you do that?

3 A. Yes.

4 Q. And what is that number?

5 A. Well, from '98 to the end of 2001, there was an additional
6 72.

7 Q. And so the total number?

8 A. I knew you were going to ask me that.

9 Q. What did you say?

10 A. 143 and 72.

11 Q. I get about 215?

12 A. Yes. That's correct.

13 MR. KAY: Okay. Now, and this relates, your Honor,
14 to the Thomas motion.

15 THE COURT: Let's make sure I understand the
16 testimony. The total number of installs from January of '02 to
17 date is 143?

18 THE WITNESS: It was from January of '02 through 9/30
19 of '07.

20 THE COURT: Okay. Thank you.

21 BY MR. KAY:

22 Q. And is there a reason for that date, the cut off date?

23 A. Correct.

24 Q. And I should have asked you about that. What is the
25 reason for that being the cut off date?

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1 A. We rewrote the medical records application, and October
2 1st of '07 is when that was released to the client base.

3 Q. In Mr. Thomas' expert report, the January 2007 report,
4 which is the last supplemental report we have, he used
5 installations to calculate damages based on licensing fees, and
6 then damages based on what he concluded were profits of HMS
7 attributable to the alleged infringement of Goldman's medical
8 records programs. And he went-- he used 358 in one instance
9 and he used 462 in a second situation. He went all the way
10 back to 1986, according to his report.

11 Are you familiar with all of this?

12 A. Yes.

13 Q. Okay. Now, if you went all the way back to 1986, would
14 those numbers of installations, 358 and 462, would that be a
15 correct assumption on Mr. Thomas' part?

16 A. I don't believe so, no.

17 Q. And why?

18 A. Well, for two or three factors. One, not all of our
19 installs from '86 forward purchased medical records,
20 particularly behavioral hospitals did not purchase medical
21 records, especially early on.

22 We also have corporate clients that kind of fall into
23 the numbers, corporate entities that may own multiple
24 hospitals, and the corporate entity itself does not use medical
25 records. They may use our general financials, our general

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1 ledger account or payroll or accounts payable, but they do not
2 use the medical records applications. And currently we have, I
3 think, 30 of those in our client base.

4 Another factor is we have, one of our customers that
5 has what we term an enterprise license for our base
6 application, so as they add hospitals, they do not pay a
7 license fee for the additional hospitals that they add. So I
8 think all of those would have to be taken into account.

9 Q. In that particular instance, how many installations are
10 there covered by one license?

11 A. I believe for that particular one there is 85 since that
12 enterprise license went into effect.

13 Q. And so under one, if I'm understanding this right, under
14 one license and one fee, there is a perpetual license for as
15 many installations as they want?

16 A. That is correct.

17 Q. Okay. There is also a reference in Mr. Thomas' report to
18 a mammography program and he uses it in his analysis. Are you
19 familiar with that program?

20 A. Yes.

21 Q. Would you tell us about it?

22 A. It's essentially a mammography reporting system and it's a
23 software application that a hospital uses to track
24 mammographies that are done at the hospital and to provide
25 reporting, and some level of governmental reporting around

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1 those particular tests.

2 Q. What does the mammography program that you use have
3 anything to do with the medical records module of HMS?

4 A. No.

5 Q. Do you license the mammography program? In other words,
6 pay them a license fee?

7 A. We do not license that particular product. We are
8 essentially a re-seller of the product. We essentially sell
9 their product for them.

10 Q. And compared to the-- Well, strike that.

11 How many installations have-- has HMS installed the
12 mammography programming?

13 A. I believe the number is 53.

14 Q. And how does that compare with the number of installations
15 of your medical records module?

16 A. Well, there's obviously many more medical records
17 installations.

18 Q. Why are there so few installations of the mammography
19 program?

20 A. Well, that particular product is a fairly specialized
21 clinical product, that it is really relevant in instances where
22 hospitals have a fairly high volume of-- do a high volume of
23 mammographies, and our client base that is not, you know, not
24 that prevalent so we don't have a lot of clients that really
25 have a need for that particular product.

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1 Q. Does HMS install the mammography program?

2 A. No.

3 Q. Do you maintain it?

4 A. No.

5 Q. Do you update it?

6 A. No.

7 Q. Do you service it?

8 A. No.

9 Q. You referenced a few minutes ago the date of September 30,
10 2007, when you implemented a rewritten medical records module?

11 A. Yes.

12 Q. What was the objective or objectives of that project?

13 A. Well, our initial objective was-- or our initial intent
14 was simply to remove any question about any alleged
15 infringement that there might be on that particular module.

16 Q. Is that all the program or is that all the project
17 actually undertook to do?

18 A. No, we basically, in going through the process to do that,
19 decided that while we were doing that we would take the time to
20 do several other things, one was just to enhance some
21 functionality in the product itself. We get a lot of requests
22 from the customers to do things in the applications, so we took
23 the time to improve work flow, to add some functionality into
24 the product that wasn't there. We also took that opportunity
25 to allow for some impending governmental regulation changes

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1 that are coming in the next couple of years, particularly
2 around coding, which would require some changes to the system
3 and so we kind of did all of that together in the one project.

4 Q. Was the project completed effective September 30, 2007?

5 A. Yes.

6 Q. And when we say completed or you say completed, what was
7 it then implemented, I mean installed?

8 A. We distributed it at that time to all of our customers.

9 Q. I asked you to determine the total cost of that rewrite
10 project, have you done so?

11 A. Yes.

12 Q. And what is it?

13 A. It was approximately \$329,000.

14 Q. Now, the cost of the \$329,000 was for just the rewriting
15 of the medical records module or was that also to increase the
16 functionalities of the software and to update for government
17 changes?

18 A. It was for all of that. It covered all of that, yes.

19 Q. And that's today's money?

20 A. Yes.

21 Q. Can you split it up by one, allocate it somehow between
22 the rewrite to avoid the alleged infringement on medical
23 records versus the other aspects of the project?

24 A. Not really. It would be very difficult because we would
25 be essentially doing several things at one time when we went in

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1 to maybe modify a particular program, so it would be kind of
2 difficult to split that out.

3 Q. Could HMS have rewritten the medical records module in
4 1986 or 1987?

5 A. Certainly.

6 Q. To avoid any claim of alleged infringement?

7 A. Yes.

8 MR. SMITH: Your Honor, I'm going to interpose an
9 objection here. I don't know how this relates to Mr. Jackson's
10 or Mr. Thomas' report. It appears to be getting into
11 plaintiff's motion to exclude rewrite testimony. None of this
12 is relevant to this proceeding, and frankly, none of the
13 rewrite-- we filed a motion that none of the rewrite evidence
14 is relevant to damages. So I understand the jury is not here.
15 I, you know, for the Court to understand things, if I could
16 not-- if I could pose an objection and then not have anybody
17 argue later on that I've waive my right to object because the
18 testimony is coming in in this proceeding, I object to the jury
19 hearing any of this stuff, but if the Court wishes to hear it
20 to get a more complete understanding of these motions, I guess
21 it's okay. I don't see how it's relevant, however.

22 THE COURT: All right. Mr. Kay, what is your theory
23 that this is relevant to the Daubert motion issue?

24 MR. KAY: The Daubert motion, I think, it's Paragraph
25 2D of the Thomas motion, deals specifically with whatever

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1 actions-- alternative actions HMS has undertaken to avoid
2 infringement it's pled, this goes directly to it, the rewrite
3 costs, and other actions that HMS have taken are highly
4 relevant to that issue that was pled in the original Daubert
5 motion.

6 THE COURT: All right. If I recall, in the papers,
7 your argument is that the plaintiff's experts did not take this
8 into account.

9 MR. KAY: Absolutely, your Honor, did not consider
10 option-- did not consider the steps that had been taken, many
11 steps that had been taken to avoid infringement.

12 THE COURT: Mr. Smith, go ahead.

13 MR. SMITH: It's our expert did not consider many
14 many many things, whether it was a full moon when this
15 happened. But the fact that he did not consider the rewrite
16 costs does not make it any more relevant. It's defendants have
17 moved to exclude Mr. Thomas' report, and are using this Daubert
18 hearing to inject this rewrite issue to somehow give it more
19 prominence or credibility, and apart from their motion saying
20 that they failed to-- that Mr. Thomas failed to include rewrite
21 costs, again that should have no more weight than the
22 defendants failed to include that the moon was in the lunar
23 phase on this date. It's just not relevant.

24 THE COURT: That latter point wouldn't go to the
25 calculation of damages, would it?

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1 MR. SMITH: Well, neither, in plaintiff's opinion,
2 does whether or not the rewrite costs were specifically
3 included. But notwithstanding that, I would just like a ruling
4 from the Court that because it comes in this proceeding doesn't
5 mean it's admissible at trial.

6 THE COURT: Well, that's fine. I'll reserve on
7 that. I'll take the testimony on the issue before me as to the
8 Daubert motion, because I think I understand the defendants'
9 theory here as to why this may or may not be admissible, and
10 I-- but I take your point, Mr. Smith, that this might be a
11 weight issue as opposed to anything else. So although I
12 recognize you've got an umbrella legal argument that it's not
13 relevant in any case. But for purposes of this hearing only
14 I'll take this testimony.

15 Go ahead, Mr. Kay.

16 MR. KAY: Thank you, your Honor.

17 BY MR. KAY:

18 Q. What would have been the differences between doing the
19 rewrite of the medical records program in 1986 or 1987 versus
20 doing it in 2007?

21 A. It would have been a fraction of the cost and the time to
22 rewrite the code in '86 or '87 as compared to today.

23 Q. Why?

24 A. Just the volume of programs today and the complexity of
25 the programs today versus what was there in '86 or '87.

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1 Q. Mr. Thomas has also included in his report, at the end of
2 his report, some calculations, basically under the Digital
3 Millennium Copyright Act. I'll bet you don't know what that
4 is?

5 A. No.

6 Q. But it's based on an assumption that he makes that an
7 update is a violation of the copyright laws, and that every
8 update you make, under his assumption, is a violation of the
9 copyright laws, and I want to get some facts some underlying
10 facts in that regard.

11 First of all, what is involved in an update? I
12 assume that's an event that happens after installation of the
13 system?

14 A. Correct. We typically enhance our product, change the
15 product, you know, over the course of a year, over the course
16 of time, and so our customers receive those enhancements or
17 updates periodically from us, and we consider that a release or
18 an update to the product.

19 THE COURT: Can you give me a concrete example?

20 THE WITNESS: Well, there's lots of different things,
21 but for example, last year, the government changed the billing
22 requirements for billing for hospitals to produce bills for
23 patients. That required us to modify our billing programs to
24 allow for the new billing requirements, and so we make those
25 programming changes and then we distribute those to the

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1 clients.

2 BY MR. KAY:

3 Q. Does an update involve adding new source code?

4 A. Yes.

5 Q. Is that fundamentally what happens?

6 A. Yes, we are adding code, we may take code away, we may
7 delete code, it just depends on the particular functionality or
8 what we are doing.

9 Q. Now, Mr. Thomas has used in his calculations the 358 and
10 462 installations going all the way back to 1986 that he
11 assumes was correct. When you did updates in '98 or 2004 or
12 2007, did you-- did every update involve a republication, a
13 reinstallation of the medical records-- of your medical records
14 module?

15 A. No.

16 Q. Did updates relate to other modules?

17 A. Yes.

18 Q. How many other modules are there?

19 A. We have got roughly 35 particular what we would call
20 applications or modules.

21 Q. Of which the medical records module would be one?

22 A. One, yes.

23 Q. All right. So when you did an update that didn't have
24 anything to do with medical records, you wouldn't be
25 republishing or reinstalling medical records?

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1 A. That is correct.

2 Q. Now, did you have some updates that involved your medical
3 records modules?

4 A. Yes.

5 Q. And when you did an update you added a code?

6 A. Yes.

7 Q. Source code?

8 A. Yes.

9 Q. Did you ever-- When you did that, did you add, republish
10 any of Mr. Goldman's software?

11 A. No.

12 Q. When you did an updated medical records module, did you
13 republish the whole reinstall, the whole medical records
14 module?

15 A. No. We only would update programs that were changed. So
16 if there's 800 programs in medical records and we changed one
17 for a-- for whatever reason, then that one would be the only
18 one that we would publish or release to the client.

19 Q. And how many medical records programs were there before
20 you rewrote your program?

21 A. I believe there was 871.

22 Q. 871. We looked earlier today at the folder from
23 Mr. Goldman to Mr. Jacobson, and it had 822 medical records
24 programs for HMS in 2005?

25 A. Correct.

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1 Q. Would that seem correct to you?

2 A. Yes.

3 Q. And are you paid for the updates?

4 A. No, it's-- Essentially it's a part of the maintenance fee
5 that the customers pay us, a monthly-- they pay a monthly fee
6 which includes the support or the help desk support we give
7 them, and it also includes any enhancements or updates to the
8 product.

9 Q. Mr. Thomas' calculations assume that there would be two
10 updates a year for every installation, the 358 or the 462, and
11 that there would be some violation of the copyright laws
12 related to Mr. Goldman's medical records programs. Would you
13 agree or disagree with that assumption?

14 A. Well, I would disagree. We-- there is not always two
15 updates a year, sometimes there is, but there is many times
16 there is not. And as I said earlier, we are not always
17 updating medical records or the entirety of medical records
18 when we distribute those enhancements.

19 Q. When you make an update, one update, does it go to all
20 your installations?

21 A. Yes.

22 Q. Mr. Thomas assumed apparently in his calculations that
23 every time there was an update, two times a year for however--
24 how many years for ever how many installations then multiplied,
25 if you know what I mean, that every update would involve a

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1 reinstallation of Goldman's or republication of Mr. Goldman's
2 programs. I gather you would not agree with that?

3 A. Well, again, we would only publish or deliver programs
4 that changed. So if nothing was changed, then those programs
5 would not get distributed again.

6 MR. KAY: This is a logical point, your Honor.

7 THE COURT: Okay. All right. Great. We will break
8 for lunch. We will resume at 2:00 o'clock.

9 Mr. Stephenson, you may step down for now, sir.

10 THE WITNESS: Thank you.

11 THE COURT: Thank you.

12 COURT CLERK: All rise.

13 Court is in recess.

14 (At 12:39 p.m., recess.)

15 (At 2:00 p.m., proceedings continued.)

16 THE COURT: Be seated. Thank you.

17 All right. We are back on the record in 05-35.

18 Mr. Stephenson, if you want to resume the stand.

19 BY MR. KAY:

20 Q. Mr. Stephenson, at my request, did you review the Jacobson
21 CD?

22 A. Yes.

23 Q. And this is Exhibit 1, the Binder 1-- no, Binder 2, excuse
24 me, Tab 6, and the materials in it relate to the Goldman
25 program 1979-1988 folder that was given to Mr. Jacobson?

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1 A. Yes.

2 Q. And one page lists out those programs and then there is
3 two inches of programs attached to that?

4 A. Yes.

5 Q. Have you reviewed each of those programs?

6 A. Yes.

7 Q. Are those programs what are, in fact, contained in the
8 Goldman program folder 1979-1988?

9 A. Yes, sir.

10 Q. This is Tab 7, Binder 1, Exhibit 1. And Tab 7 is the
11 opening windows of HMS programs from the Goldman CD to
12 Mr. Jacobson and of a subset QRPGLSRC, have you also looked at
13 this in the Goldman CD?

14 A. Yes, sir.

15 Q. And it has a list of five or six pages of those programs.
16 Do you recognize the titles on those?

17 A. Yes, sir.

18 Q. What are those?

19 A. Those are the HMS medical records programs.

20 Q. And I told the Court that there were 822 of those. Does
21 that square with your count too?

22 A. Yes. From what is on the CD, yes.

23 Q. And finally, Tab 8 of Exhibit 1 is another folder from the
24 Goldman CD to Mr. Jacobson. Under programs is a subfolder
25 detail service, and a subfolder with HMRY50 in it, and then

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1 that program, that HMR50, is presented. Have you also looked
2 into the Goldman CD and confirmed that this information is
3 accurate?

4 A. Yes, sir.

5 MR. SMITH: Objection, I don't understand the
6 question, confirm it's accurate. What does that mean?

7 MR. KAY: It means this is what is in the Goldman CD.

8 MR. SMITH: Okay. No objection. I withdraw it.

9 THE COURT: Thank you.

10 BY MR. KAY:

11 Q. Mr. Stephenson, I asked you when you made your inspection
12 of the Goldman CD to determine whether there were dates on the
13 programs in the 1979-88 folder?

14 A. Yes.

15 Q. And did you find dates?

16 A. Yes.

17 MR. SMITH: Objection, your Honor.

18 I think the witness is veering into testimony that's
19 not permitted. It is inadmissible under Rule 701.

20 Mr. Stephenson has been tendered as a lay witness, and he is
21 not about to testify regarding things that are within the
22 common understanding of people-- within the common
23 understanding of a jury.

24 We filed-- In our witness list, we filed-- we cited
25 Rule 701. We also cited the Sixth Circuit case United States

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1 vs. Ganier, 468 F.3d 920, and we cited United States vs. White,
2 492 F.3d 380. Both of these cases stand for the proposition
3 that a person-- that an expert, beg your pardon, a lay witness
4 is not permitted to testify regarding extrinsic evidence. They
5 are only permitted to testify regarding things within their
6 personal knowledge. People who-- When a lay witness is
7 solicited to express expert opinion testimony, the Sixth
8 Circuit has repeatedly ruled again and again that it's a
9 subterfuge to get around the requirements of Rule 26, and
10 disclosing expert testimony pursuant to the rule.

11 Mr. Stephenson has not submitted an expert report.
12 He has not been tendered as an expert witness. We have not had
13 an opportunity to examine him as an expert witness. So the
14 only thing that this Court should permit him to testify to are
15 his facts within his own personal knowledge, irrespective of
16 what he may have reviewed in terms of extrinsic evidence.

17 THE COURT: Go ahead, sir.

18 MR. KAY: Your Honor, expert testimony is governed by
19 702. And expert testimony under 702 relates to the giving of
20 opinions. "If scientific, technical or other specialized
21 knowledge will assist the trier of fact to understand the
22 evidence or determine a fact issue, a witness qualified as an
23 expert by knowledge, skill, experience, training or education
24 may testify thereto in the form of an opinion."

25 Mr. Stephenson is not testifying in the form of an

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1 opinion. Mr. Stephenson is testifying as to a matter of fact.
2 He is also taking a CD, putting it into a computer, even I can
3 do that, in fact, I have, and opening it up and looking at what
4 is in there. And he is certainly testifying as to facts, not
5 opinions.

6 This information will be very helpful to the Court.
7 I can understand why Mr. Smith does not want this information
8 to come in. This is a matter of fact from a CD that his client
9 provided his expert and that we obtained through discovery, and
10 what this testimony relates to is what is on that CD.

11 MR. SMITH: If I may, your Honor.

12 THE COURT: Sure.

13 MR. SMITH: Here is what the Sixth Circuit would
14 respond to Mr. Kay. "Witnesses who perform after-the-fact
15 investigations are generally not allowed to apply specialized
16 knowledge in giving lay testimony." That is the law. Those
17 are the rules. And Mr. Kay is trying to circumvent those
18 rules. And if it's so easy to open up the file and look at
19 what is in there, then fine, he should be ready to do that. He
20 should not be using a witness to get in testimony that is
21 extrinsic. This witness has no personal knowledge of these
22 files, none whatsoever. If they are so simple, in fact, I
23 think Mr. Kay has done a very fine job of laboriously going
24 through every single file that was presented to Mr. Jacobson.
25 I don't see the need to do it twice. If what's in the files is

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1 what it is, as Mr. Kay represents, then why do we need another
2 witness to again go through, what is it going to take, another
3 two hours, to go through and identify exactly what was in
4 Exhibit-- Tab 7 here. It's not necessary.

5 And number two, it's certainly prohibitive for him to
6 offer any-- to apply any specialized knowledge, any specialized
7 knowledge to Tab 6 of Defense Exhibit 1.

8 MR. KAY: His expert isn't here. If his expert was
9 here, I could put the CD in, in front of him, have him open it
10 up, which doesn't require any specialized knowledge at all-- my
11 grandchildren could do it, and do do it-- and look and see what
12 is in there and confirm the dates on each of these programs.

13 THE COURT: Now, when you say the dates on the
14 programs, what do you mean?

15 MR. KAY: Actually that was the next question I was
16 going to ask.

17 BY MR. KAY:

18 Q. There is-- You found last written dates?

19 A. Yes.

20 Q. What is a last written date?

21 A. It's actually the date modified, which is the last date
22 that that particular document or whatever it is on a CD or
23 computer was changed.

24 THE COURT: And, Mr. Smith, your concern is?

25 MR. SMITH: My concern is that Mr. Stephenson is

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1 going to veer into the substance of the reports themselves-- or
2 not the reports, the programs themselves that Mr. Goldman
3 produced. He is going to discuss things that are within the
4 programs, based on his background. He's testified earlier this
5 morning that he was a programmer, that he programmed patient
6 accounting. I think he said he had twelve years of programming
7 experience where he was directly involved in programming.

8 It is not permitted under the rules for him to apply
9 his specialized expertise as a programmer to things that he
10 finds in extrinsic evidence without complying with Rule 26, of
11 producing a report, and without being listed as an expert
12 witness.

13 Now, as Mr. Kay said, his grandchild may be able to
14 open up a file and look at a creation date. I will permit-- or
15 I will not object, I should say, I will not object to the
16 witness testifying as to what he observed as the creation
17 date. I would not object to the witness testifying as to what
18 he might be able to see when he reviews open, you know,
19 properties, for example, in a PC based, Windows based system,
20 you can look at properties of different files, but I would
21 strongly object to his applying his knowledge to any substance
22 within Mr. Goldman's source code.

23 THE COURT: We are at the point of last written
24 dates. Do you object to the last written dates?

25 MR. SMITH: So long as they are in the form of what a

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1 normal everyday person could understand and access, I do not
2 object to it.

3 MR. KAY: Okay.

4 THE COURT: All right. Does anybody object to me
5 being a reasonable person? That would be a fairly low
6 standard.

7 MR. SMITH: Your Honor, I don't know if that's a
8 compliment if I call you normal, but I don't object.

9 THE COURT: No, it's intended to disclose my
10 ineptitude as far as computers is concerned.

11 All right. So it sounds to me, Mr. Smith, you are
12 not objecting to this line of questioning as it relates to
13 determinations of last written dates, or I think you said
14 creation dates as well. Is that-- Am I capturing your point
15 or not? As long as your average user would be able to glean
16 that information.

17 MR. SMITH: That is correct, with one follow-up.

18 I will be, on cross examination, I don't know what
19 Mr. Stephenson's experience or familiarity is with PC based
20 systems. I don't know if he understands what happens when
21 files are transferred from different electronic media to PCs.
22 I don't know if he understands the finer points of how clocks
23 work within personal computers. These are all fairly technical
24 things that affect the creation date and last written date that
25 appears on a file stamp. So I don't know what his background

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1 is with respect to all of that.

2 So with my-- The caveat is that he may give testimony
3 as a lay witness that raises more questions than it answers.
4 And when I attempt to cross examine him on that, he may delve
5 into expert testimony. And so to make myself clear, his giving
6 of lay testimony, based on what Mr. Kay's grandchild could
7 ascertain--

8 THE COURT: We will use that as a standard, okay.

9 MR. KAY: She's bright.

10 THE COURT: I have no doubt.

11 MR. SMITH: But it's a bit of a subtle point, your
12 Honor. But as he answers questions that on their face appear
13 to be straight forward, it does raise issues that lead to a
14 more technical question, a more technical inquiry, and so if on
15 cross examination--

16 Are you with me, Judge?

17 THE COURT: Um-hmm.

18 MR. SMITH: If on cross examination I do get into a
19 little bit more of the technical aspects of that on cross, and
20 if that opens the door to him testifying about whatever, then I
21 would object to any examination of creation dates or last
22 written dates.

23 Is that-- Did I make myself clear?

24 THE COURT: No, I understand what you're saying.

25 Mr. Kay, what is your reaction to that?

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1 MR. KAY: I don't understand. It sounds to me like
2 he wants to ask questions about expertise, but he doesn't want
3 any of the answers. I don't know what to make of it. I'm just
4 trying-- I'm just trying to get to these dates. Can't we just
5 go ahead?

6 THE COURT: Well, and what Mr. Smith, I appreciate
7 the argument, and he wants to make sure that the witness's
8 testimony is not based on any technical expertise he may have,
9 but is only based on what the reasonable grandchild could glean
10 from looking at the disk and looking at the information.

11 MR. KAY: Okay.

12 MR. SMITH: And the follow-up point, your Honor,
13 would be on cross examination, if he does delve into a bit more
14 of a technical explanation, which I anticipate he will. I
15 presume he is familiar with personal computers and Microsoft
16 DOS. If he does delve into some of those aspects, then that is
17 the end of it. Those aspects should not open the door to his
18 testifying about all the finer attributes of Mr. Goldman's
19 source code just because he is answering some questions on a
20 technical basis.

21 So it's a two part-- it's a qualified objection, I
22 guess, is the right way to put it.

23 THE COURT: All right. Why don't we proceed from
24 there. And I take it your cross examination would be along the
25 lines to make sure that he's not utilized his expertise in

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1 delineating-- in coming up with his testimony based on his
2 review of the creation dates and the last written dates.

3 MR. SMITH: Here would be a typical cross question,
4 your Honor.

5 THE COURT: Okay.

6 MR. SMITH: Mr. Stephenson, is it not true that these
7 creation dates can be altered when certain files are copied
8 from one media to another? And that the common person doesn't
9 know, but Mr. Stephenson might know that answer.

10 Mr. Stephenson, is it true that when files are first
11 created back in the early 1980s, system clocks were less prone
12 to accuracy than they are today. You know, that is the clock
13 that applies the stamp to the file. So these are all fairly
14 technical questions.

15 That would be the sort of questions I would get into
16 on cross examination.

17 THE COURT: Okay.

18 MR. SMITH: If I could put this into big context. I
19 believe what defendants are trying to do, is they are trying to
20 look at the creation dates, the stamped dates that are on some
21 of these files, and wave around a 1979 creation date with
22 perhaps a later copyright notice on it and say, you see how
23 messed up this is. This is so messed up, you know, this
24 creation date doesn't match what is in the substance of the
25 file. This doesn't make any sense with respect to this.

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1 That's what they are going to try to prove, and it's all
2 premised on the accuracy of these creation dates, which are
3 notoriously inaccurate on-- especially on these old computers.

4 And so that is where defendant is going, your Honor,
5 and that is why I think all of this, we should not delve into
6 with a lay witness, because it's inevitably probably-- well,
7 it's a contradiction. It probably will delve into testimony
8 that requires Mr. Stephenson to go into an explanation on how
9 system clocks worked, how they may be inaccurate, and I don't
10 have the benefit of his expert report on that.

11 So I will stand by my qualified objection saying if
12 he wants to testify regarding creation dates, I guess that's
13 okay. I just present for the Court that I do not want this
14 examination to start delving into a big expert examination on
15 when these files were actually created.

16 THE COURT: Okay. With that, Mr. Kay, are there any
17 other subject matters of this genre that you wish to go into
18 with Mr. Stephenson?

19 MR. KAY: I'm going to go into two folders and get
20 these dates.

21 THE COURT: Okay.

22 MR. KAY: Out of them with him, and he is only going
23 to be testifying about what he sees there, and I think he is
24 probably going to agree with me that my ten-year-old
25 granddaughter would have the technical ability to go in and get

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1 this information.

2 BY MR. KAY:

3 Q. True?

4 A. Yes.

5 MR. KAY: Okay. Now, he wasn't required to file an
6 expert report. Only hired for the purposes of litigation are
7 experts, and he is not testifying as an expert in this regard
8 now required to file a report. That's under Rule 26. Okay.

9 THE COURT: Okay. Well, let's go ahead.

10 MR. KAY: He can ask whatever questions he wants of
11 this witness. If I don't like them, I'll object to them. But
12 he is going to ask whatever he wants, and I invite him to do
13 that. That's just fine, but ask away.

14 THE COURT: All right. Well, why don't we take,
15 let's take the questions and the answers and we will take it
16 from there.

17 MR. KAY: Okay.

18 BY MR. KAY:

19 Q. What is Exhibit 3?

20 A. This is a listing of the file names from the 1979-1988
21 directory off the CD.

22 Q. Does this Exhibit 3 contain all the information on it? Is
23 this information that you observed from opening the CD and
24 looking?

25 A. Yes.

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1 Q. And this relates to the Goldman 1979-1988 directory?

2 A. Yes.

3 Q. And the last written date on the right side again means
4 what?

5 A. It's the date the file was last modified or changed.

6 Q. Were there creation dates in there that you could find?

7 A. I don't remember seeing those.

8 Q. Okay. We are going to correct a mistake that I made in my
9 presentation this morning now with the Judge.

10 MR. KAY: I move the admission of Defendants' Exhibit
11 3.

12 MR. SMITH: No objection.

13 THE COURT: Exhibit 3 is received.

14 MR. KAY: Your Honor, have you still got your binder,
15 tab-- Binder 2 with the Tab 6?

16 THE COURT: I have it.

17 MR. KAY: And if you would turn to the very last two
18 programs that are in there UGDRGs.

19 Tom, I've opened those.

20 THE COURT: Way towards the back?

21 MR. KAY: It's way at the back, it's the very last
22 two.

23 THE COURT: All right. About this much.

24 MR. KAY: Is it UGDRG?

25 THE COURT: The top line is 00011H 64.

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1 MR. KAY: That's one of them. And then the one
2 before that should be another UGDRG.

3 THE COURT: I've got HMR80 is the next immediate one
4 towards the front.

5 MR. KAY: Okay. I'm sorry. I stand corrected.

6 If you go back to the first one. This is a program
7 without a copyright notice, the UGDRG without a copyright
8 notice at the top?

9 THE COURT: I see no copyright notation.

10 MR. KAY: Okay.

11 BY MR. KAY:

12 Q. What was the date, the last written date of that program?

13 A. That particular one is 12/31/79.

14 MR. KAY: The point being that the UGDRG program that
15 was filed with the copyright office in 2004 had a full and
16 complete copyright notice, copyright Joel Goldman 1979. This
17 one, which is dated December 31, 1979, has no copyright
18 notice.

19 If you would then turn to the next program at the
20 very back of that tab, it's another UGDRG program.

21 THE COURT: This is the ".txt"?

22 MR. KAY: That is correct, your Honor.

23 THE COURT: Okay. I've got that one.

24 MR. KAY: This one-- I said this morning this one
25 did not have a copyright notice to you, and I was wrong. I

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1 mis-spoke myself, it does. In fact, it has a full copyright
2 notice.

3 BY MR. KAY:

4 Q. What is the last written date for this program?

5 A. That program UGDRGN.txt was 9/2/04.

6 Q. September 2 of '04, it has a full copyright notice.

7 Tab 5 of Binder 1 is the copyright registration, and
8 the date of that is five days later, September 7, 2004, it
9 contains UGDRG with the full copyright notice. The point again
10 being that program with the last written date UGDRG, without
11 any copyright, is dated 12/31/79. The UGDRG with the full
12 copyright is dated September 2, 2004, five days before
13 Mr. Goldman filed his copyright notice for registration.

14 What is Exhibit 4?

15 A. This is a listing of the files from the directory 1989 to
16 1997 from the CD.

17 Q. Are you familiar with all of the information that's set
18 forth in this exhibit?

19 A. Yes.

20 Q. And is that based on your review of the Goldman CD to
21 Mr. Jacobson?

22 A. Yes.

23 Q. This is from 1989-97 folder?

24 A. Yes.

25 Q. There are three abstract related files at the top, did you

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1 confirm they had no copyright notice?

2 A. Yes.

3 Q. There are three?

4 MR. SMITH: Objection, your Honor. That is-- I'm not
5 sure that Mr. Kay's grandchild could do that. He opened a file
6 and he was reviewing the source code. I think review of source
7 code is beyond the realm of a typical lay juror, your Honor.

8 THE COURT: Sustained.

9 BY MR. KAY:

10 Q. Did the three files up there have copyright Joel Goldman
11 1979 on them?

12 A. No.

13 MR. SMITH: Again, your Honor, this is getting into a
14 review of the substance of the source code, and we have not had
15 an expert report on this. Anybody-- if he wants to display
16 these files and show that they, you know, their contents so
17 that we could all see them, fine. But to get this information
18 in through an expert witness-- well, a lay witness who is
19 sitting there asking him opinions on the contents of source
20 code, it's, I do not believe it's proper.

21 MR. KAY: I'm not asking about the source code. I'm
22 asking about whether they had a copyright notice on them.

23 THE COURT: Well, in terms of what would be shown on
24 the screen?

25 MR. KAY: Yes, sir.

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1 THE COURT: As opposed to relying on any computer
2 expertise as to why something is or isn't there.

3 MR. KAY: Absolutely.

4 THE COURT: Are you troubled by that, Mr. Smith?

5 MR. SMITH: I don't know whether any of this is
6 true. I mean I don't have these programs in front of me. It
7 just seems to me an odd way of going about it to have a
8 nonexpert testifying regarding contents of programs that aren't
9 even before the Court.

10 MR. KAY: The CD comes from his client.

11 MR. SMITH: I'm sorry, Mr. Kay, if I could.

12 MR. KAY: I'm sorry, I thought you were done. I
13 apologize.

14 MR. SMITH: That's all right.

15 My understanding was that there were a lot more files
16 in this file folder, but I could be mistaken. I thought this
17 '89 to '97 directory had a large number of files, so this
18 whole thrust of the examination is troubling me.

19 To answer the Court's question, I--

20 THE COURT: If I opened the CD and presume-- let's
21 stretch my expertise, that I could open the program and view
22 the screen.

23 MR. SMITH: I'm sure-- I'm confident you could do
24 that, Judge.

25 THE COURT: All right. If I understand the breadth

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1 of Mr. Kay's question, that is all he is asking this witness.
2 Is whether an average computer user who could open the program
3 and view the screen, whether under those circumstances the
4 copyright notice would be present on the screen.

5 MR. SMITH: If that's as far as he is going, then--

6 THE COURT: Well, let's confirm that with Mr. Kay,
7 because that's where I thought we were headed.

8 MR. KAY: That's exactly what I did.

9 THE COURT: Okay. So your questions are confined to
10 what your grandchild, if the person had the ability to open the
11 program, could look at the screen and observe?

12 MR. KAY: Yes, sir.

13 THE COURT: Okay.

14 BY MR. KAY:

15 Q. Do you understand that, Mr. Stephenson?

16 A. Yes.

17 Q. Okay. There are three HMR medical records Goldman's
18 medical records programs on this whole list at the bottom. Do
19 you see any copyright notice for those?

20 A. No, sir.

21 Q. And how many of these 1989 to 1997 Goldman programs
22 actually had copyrights?

23 A. I believe there were two.

24 Q. That's on the second page?

25 A. Yes.

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1 Q. Thank you.

2 MR. KAY: Move admission of Exhibit 4, your Honor.

3 THE COURT: Mr. Smith.

4 MR. SMITH: If Mr. Kay-- I don't want to voir dire
5 his witness, but could he confirm for me who prepared this and
6 whether it reflects a complete listing of all everything in the
7 directory.

8 BY MR. KAY:

9 Q. Who did you get it from, Mr. Stephenson?

10 A. I got it from you.

11 Q. And when I gave it to you, did I ask you to check all of
12 the information and compare it against what was in the CD?

13 A. Yes.

14 Q. Did I do that for you?

15 A. No.

16 Q. Could I-- No, never mind.

17 A. Your grandchild could, but.

18 MR. KAY: That's all, your Honor.

19 MR. SMITH: No objection.

20 THE COURT: Four is received.

21 BY MR. KAY:

22 Q. Now, in preparation for today's hearing, I also asked you
23 as the chief executive officer and president and former RPG
24 programmer of HMS to determine the total number of programs in
25 the HMS medical records module before it was rewritten, did you

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1 do that?

2 A. Yes, sir.

3 Q. How many are there?

4 A. Off the top of my head, I don't recall.

5 How many programs or?

6 Q. Yes. I asked you to look also at how many-- what the
7 number of source code lines were, did you do that?

8 A. Yes.

9 Q. And I asked you to look at the total number of programs in
10 the entire HMS software integrated package.

11 A. Yes.

12 Q. And I asked you to determine also the total number of
13 lines of code in the total HMS software package?

14 A. Yes.

15 Q. Did you compile something that would help you refresh your
16 recollection?

17 A. Yes, sir.

18 Q. What is this?

19 A. The first page is a summary of each application or module
20 in our-- of our products where I summarized the number of
21 programs and the number of lines of codes in each one. The
22 pages after that are the detail pages that I got the summary
23 from. And basically running a command on our system for each
24 library called display file description over the RPG source
25 file gives these each one of these reports at the back that--.

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1 Q. How many programs in the HMS medical records file before
2 the rewrite project?

3 A. 847.

4 Q. How many lines of code was in there?

5 A. For the RPG programs 451,597.

6 Q. And how many programs, software programs in the entire HMS
7 total integrated software package?

8 A. Of RPG programs 12,705.

9 Q. And how many lines of code in the entire HMS software
10 package?

11 A. Total lines of RPG code were 6,918,890.

12 MR. KAY: Pass the witness.

13 THE COURT: Was that Exhibit 5?

14 MR. KAY: I didn't mark it as an exhibit, I'm happy
15 to do it if you--

16 THE COURT: Well, let's at least mark it for
17 identification.

18 MR. KAY: Sure.

19 THE COURT: So we know.

20 MR. KAY: Sure.

21 MR. SMITH: Do you still have-- Mr. Stephenson, do
22 you still have Exhibit 4 in front of you?

23 THE WITNESS: Yes.

24 MR. KAY: Your Honor, move admission of Exhibit 5.

25 THE COURT: What is your position on 5, Mr. Smith?

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1 Do you want to review it at the break? It's big.

2 MR. SMITH: No objection.

3 THE COURT: All right. Exhibit 5 is received.

4 CROSS EXAMINATION

5 BY MR. SMITH:

6 Q. If you could turn to Exhibit 3, Mr. Stephenson. My
7 understanding is that you were provided with a CD.

8 A. Yes.

9 Q. On which these directories and these files were contained;
10 is that right?

11 A. Yes.

12 Q. And you opened up the 1979 to 1988 directory, and this
13 Exhibit 3 is consistent with what you saw; is that right?

14 A. Yes.

15 Q. Are you familiar with how personal computers save date and
16 time stamps? How they mark a file when it's opened and mark it
17 as modified?

18 A. No.

19 Q. So do you know whether or not these dates are accurate?

20 A. All I know is I opened the file and these were the dates
21 that were there.

22 MR. SMITH: We are going to get into-- This won't--
23 Judge, this will take 20 minutes is what I'm thinking.

24 BY MR. SMITH:

25 Q. I want to-- You talked a little bit about this, the

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1 rewrite that HMS did, where it rewrote all of the software, I
2 think your words were to remove the alleged infringement and
3 that sort of thing. And I-- you testified that, I think I
4 heard you say that the update was released September 30th; is
5 that right?

6 A. Well, October 1st of '07 is when it became distributed for
7 general release. It had been released previous to that to BETA
8 sites, a certain subset of our client base.

9 Q. HMS had started releasing it as early as August of 2007;
10 is that right?

11 A. That sounds about right.

12 Q. And the roll out completed around November of 2007?

13 A. Yes.

14 Q. And in terms of releasing this update, this would be an
15 example where the entire HIM module was replaced; is that
16 correct?

17 A. Most likely. I don't know that for a fact.

18 Again, only programs that we changed would have been
19 released, so if there were programs that were not changed, they
20 would not have been. But I don't know that for a fact. I
21 don't know if every program in there was changed or not.

22 Q. Would it be reasonable to assume that every medical
23 records program that had formerly used the earlier version of
24 abstract would have been part of the update?

25 A. Yes.

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1 Q. Abstract was changed significantly; is that right?

2 A. Yes.

3 Q. And just so the Court is very aware of, tell us again what
4 abstract is, what a database structure is?

5 A. The abstract is basically a database file that is a
6 collection of data assembled in one file.

7 Q. And the abstract before the rewrite had been updated how
8 many times-- No, let me-- How many releases would you
9 estimate medical records went through until this latest
10 upgrade, update?

11 A. I don't know how many it would have gone through.

12 Q. Didn't you testify that you believed that there had been
13 25 releases of medical records prior to the update?

14 A. Well, we were on release-- in terms of numbering our
15 releases, we were on release 25. That again doesn't
16 necessarily mean medical records was a part of every one of
17 those releases. But we essentially number our releases as we
18 distribute them, so we were at 25, but what-- how many medical
19 records was in as part of that, I don't know for sure.

20 Q. We've got some high tech stuff.

21 MR. SMITH: Could you put up Plaintiff's 67.

22 It's warming up. I'll move on. We will come back to
23 this.

24 THE COURT: Just so I understand. The total number
25 of releases up until October 1, of '07, I gather for all the

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1 company's product was 25?

2 THE WITNESS: Well, that was our major release
3 number. We may do smaller pieces through the year of different
4 things, it could be a 25.1 or 25.2 that might be a subset of a
5 particular product. But our major release that we would do
6 from a numbering standpoint, we were at 25.

7 THE COURT: And what you cannot extract is the number
8 of releases confined to medical records only?

9 THE WITNESS: I don't know that.

10 THE COURT: Okay.

11 THE WITNESS: That number to be exact.

12 BY MR. SMITH:

13 Q. And up on the screen is Exhibit 67. Do you recognize this
14 document?

15 A. Yes.

16 Q. What is it?

17 A. It's a, what we call a PIF, project information form,
18 where we document projects to be done.

19 Q. And this PIF, this project information form, related to
20 medical records, right?

21 A. Yes.

22 MR. SMITH: And Alfonso, could you enlarge the top
23 left corner.

24 BY MR. SMITH:

25 Q. Up in the upper left corner, you see where it says

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1 releases?

2 A. Yes.

3 Q. What do the numbers 231 and 240 mean?

4 A. That would have been release 23.1 and release 24.

5 MR. SMITH: And if you could enlarge the top right
6 corner, Alfonso.

7 BY MR. SMITH:

8 Q. This release was received 000, but the PIF date appears to
9 be March 4, 2005, right?

10 A. Correct.

11 Q. As of March 4, 2005, is it fair to say that medical
12 records had been updated at least 24 times?

13 A. I don't-- I don't know that, and I don't think you can--
14 we can't assume that from that document. It was being modified
15 in release 23.1 and 24. Had it been a part of all the previous
16 releases up to that point, I don't know the answer to that.
17 And most likely it would not have been.

18 Q. When you say it, are you saying?

19 A. Medical records. The medical records application.

20 Q. So this release-- this release nomenclature refers to the
21 entire suite of HMS software or medical records?

22 A. It refers to a release of our software for that particular
23 point in time. So release, whatever the number was, 24 would
24 be a release that we would do at a particular point in time,
25 probably in '05, that release might contain updates or

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1 enhancements for ten applications or modules, it might contain
2 enhancements for 15, it might contain enhancements for only
3 five, it just depends on what we are doing at that particular
4 point in time. I would, from this particular PIF, then I would
5 assume those two particular releases we had medical records as
6 an update. I don't know, release 22 might not have had that.
7 I just don't know the answer to that.

8 Q. So to make sure the Court understands your testimony, if a
9 minor change is made in one of these 6,918,890 lines of code,
10 if a minor change is made in one of those codes lines, the next
11 version of code that's shipped out with that change, it gets a
12 new release number?

13 A. I'm sorry, could you say that again?

14 Q. I understood your testimony to be that a new release
15 number could be assigned even for a small change in a program
16 unrelated to medical records, is that true?

17 A. No. A release-- We may make changes to the application,
18 any application over the course of a year, but that doesn't--
19 and then we kind of accumulate all of those into one release
20 that we would send out at one time. So changing one program
21 does not constitute a new release. I would take all of the
22 accumulation of whatever changes were made over the course of
23 whatever period of time it is, might be a year, might be six
24 months, might be 18 months, and I would-- we would then package
25 those into a release and call that release 24 or whatever the

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1 number is, and that's what we would distribute to the client.
2 Every time we, for each little change we made to a particular
3 program does not constitute a release or would not necessarily
4 be distributed, you know, at that time. But we kind of wait
5 and do it all as a part of one release. I don't know if that
6 makes sense, but that's--

7 Q. And when you distribute that entire new release, do you
8 distribute a new batch of code or are you distributing bits and
9 pieces?

10 A. We are distributing the code that has changed. So if
11 nothing changed, we don't distribute that.

12 Q. Medical records was part of the base five set of software
13 that HMS started out with; is that right?

14 A. Yes, that is correct.

15 Q. So HMS has been a part of every single-- medical records
16 has been a part of every release since the inception of these
17 release dates; is that right?

18 A. No, that would not be correct.

19 Again, there may be-- There were releases and could
20 be releases where if we did not change medical records or
21 didn't change anything significantly, we would not include that
22 in the release. So releases don't include every application
23 that we have every time.

24 Q. Are you familiar with the term DRG?

25 A. Yes.

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1 Q. What does that stand for?

2 A. Diagnostic related groups.

3 Q. Is that a term used for Medicare reimbursement?

4 A. Yes.

5 Q. Also a term used for other third-party payers for such as
6 insurers?

7 A. Yes.

8 Q. And DRGs are promulgated-- the system of DRGs is
9 promulgated by the United States government; is that right?

10 A. Yes.

11 Q. Is that the Department of Health and Human Services or
12 what used to be called Health and Human Services?

13 A. I believe so. It's CMS now is the organization.

14 Q. And how often are DRGs updated by the government?

15 A. Every year, every October.

16 Q. And that's-- Has there ever been a year where they
17 haven't upgraded DRGs?

18 A. Not that I recall.

19 Q. In medical records, is it not true, medical records has a
20 DRG function in it?

21 A. Yes, our medical records does, yes.

22 Q. Is it not true that every time DRGs are updated medical
23 records needs to be updated?

24 A. That's true. The extent of which that occurs depends on
25 the DRG changes. Changes to the database files for DRGs that

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1 occur where they may add diagnosis codes, take away diagnosis
2 codes, change the DRG codes themselves, those occur every year
3 which would necessitate us updating those database files.

4 The grouper itself, which is a program that creates
5 the DRGs, it generally it changes, but it doesn't always
6 change, it just depends on the nature of the changes that occur
7 that year.

8 So generally there is some update to medical records
9 for DRGs to the specific parts of it that it affects, but it
10 certainly doesn't affect the entire medical records
11 application.

12 Q. Does HMS use its own DRG grouper or is it contracting that
13 from a third party?

14 A. We use our own. We receive the files, the grouper files,
15 from a third party.

16 Q. Is that 3M?

17 A. Yes.

18 THE COURT: From where, I'm sorry?

19 THE WITNESS: 3M.

20 BY MR. SMITH:

21 Q. 3M is the name of the company.

22 MR. SMITH: Could we take that down, please.

23 BY MR. SMITH:

24 Q. There was-- You were in the courtroom when Mr. Kay was
25 talking about Mr. Jacobson's opinion regarding abstract being a

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1 critical part of the medical records program. Do you recall
2 his presentation on that?

3 A. Yes.

4 Q. Prior to your rewrite, isn't it true that medical records,
5 in fact, had over 300 different programs within the HMS
6 library?

7 A. I'm sorry, say that again.

8 Q. Prior to the rewrite, isn't it true that medical records
9 affected over 300 different programs in the HMS suite of
10 software systems?

11 A. That medical records affected 300 programs?

12 Q. Abstract was implicated in 300-- over 300 programs in the
13 HMS system?

14 A. I don't know the exact number, that sounds reasonable.

15 Q. Let's just nail it down.

16 MR. SMITH: Could we have 66 up.

17 BY MR. SMITH:

18 Q. You'll recognize this as a PIF. I believe it was
19 displayed at your deposition.

20 A. Yes.

21 Q. At the top of the sheet it says--

22 MR. SMITH: Could we enlarge the top half.

23 BY MR. SMITH:

24 Q. At the top of the sheet it says that the description of
25 the project was to add some operating procedures and some other

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1 things, and what is highlighted is to externalize abstract in
2 all programs. Do you recall about when the company was doing
3 that?

4 A. It was around the '03 time frame.

5 Q. And the reason for that is because abstract formerly had
6 been imbedded in each of the individual programs, isn't that
7 right?

8 A. That is correct.

9 Q. And so when abstract was externalized, every program that
10 formerly had it embedded within the program was affected by the
11 task of externalizing abstract; is that right?

12 A. That is correct.

13 Q. And so if we look at this and if we count the number of
14 programs that were affected, by the management's decision to
15 externalize abstract, that would be a fair way of counting how
16 many programs abstract-- implicated abstract; is that correct?

17 A. That is correct.

18 Q. And I think even Mr. Kay's grandchild could probably count
19 these up and count there were over 300 here, but I won't take
20 the time to do that now.

21 Going back to your rewrite, you said that you had
22 rolled out the rewrite to some BETA sites. Could you please
23 tell us what you mean by BETA sites?

24 A. Well, anytime we introduce a new release or a new
25 application, whatever it might be, before we introduce it to

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1 the entire customer base, we always roll it out to a certain
2 number of BETA sites that basically after we have done our
3 testing in-house, then we roll it out to sites to implement it
4 and use it and work out any bugs we may have before we
5 introduce it to the entire customer base.

6 Q. Does that happen with every release?

7 A. Yes.

8 Q. And how many BETA sites typically would receive it before
9 the general distribution?

10 A. It varies, but typically between 10 to 20.

11 Q. And the BETA process started in the rewrite case around
12 August of 2007, then you testified that it was generally
13 distributed October 1, 2007, I believe you said; is that right?

14 A. Yes, I believe that's right.

15 Q. And then there were still some distributions that were
16 occurring in as late as November; is that right?

17 A. That's possible, yes.

18 Q. Why is that?

19 A. Some customers may have chosen not to take it on October
20 1st, they may have wanted to wait. I don't know the specific
21 reasons why.

22 Q. Your contract requires them to accept updates, doesn't it?

23 A. Yes.

24 Q. A client can't refuse an update, can it?

25 A. No.

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1 Q. So why would you have distributions throughout October and
2 into November?

3 A. Well, in any release we do, the clients don't all put it
4 on in one day. I mean it's sometimes spread out over two to
5 three months, depending on their schedule. Sometimes we may
6 phase it in over a couple of months just to make sure that,
7 from our standpoint, that we can handle the increase in
8 support, or whatever may come out of that. So it's not
9 uncommon for the distribution to occur over a couple of month
10 period.

11 Q. You can't just push a button and have all of your
12 customers receive it at the same instant?

13 A. No. I wish I could, but no.

14 Q. So it's typical that it occurs over-- What is a typical
15 length of time that an update would be released and occur over?

16 A. It varies, but over a couple of month period generally
17 everyone installs the release.

18 Q. And would HMS be involved in that installation?

19 A. Typically not. We may be on the BETA sites, but once it
20 goes to general release, the customer does that.

21 Q. And you would then transmit the new replacement code to
22 them electronically or send them a floppy disk or something?

23 A. Generally it's distributed on CDs.

24 Q. And why is it over time? Why don't you do it all at once?

25 A. We may distribute them all at once, but the clients don't

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1 all put it on at once. And I don't know the exact timing of
2 when we distributed this one. I know we started-- it was
3 available October 1st, that's when we started the
4 distribution. I honestly don't know if we sent them all out
5 day one or if we staggered them over a couple month period in
6 terms of sending them. I just don't know.

7 Q. Typically, again typically, would they be sent all on one
8 day?

9 A. At the point of general release, yes.

10 Q. Are you familiar with the HIM manual, software manual put
11 out by HMS?

12 A. I know we have one. I haven't looked at it in a long
13 time.

14 Q. You were heavily involved in patient accounting, is that
15 right?

16 A. Yes.

17 Q. You know the patient accounting program?

18 A. Yes. Again, I haven't programmed it in awhile, but yes,
19 I'm very familiar with it.

20 Q. You spent twelve years I thought in patient accounting?

21 A. Yes.

22 Q. You made presentations related to patient accounting?

23 A. Yes.

24 Q. When HMS was marketing this to potential customers, right?

25 A. That's correct.

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1 Q. You know how patient accounting, which is a software
2 module, interacts with abstract, don't you?

3 A. Yes, sir.

4 MR. SMITH: Could we put up 95. Let's go to Page 2.
5 Is this all of 95?

6 MS. SHAW: Uh-huh.

7 MR. SMITH: Your Honor, I don't have a copy of what
8 is on the screen.

9 We'll just have to use what is on the screen.

10 We seem not to have the first part of 95, but we do
11 have it on the screen, your Honor, and I'll get the Court and
12 counsel a copy of 95.

13 BY MR. SMITH:

14 Q. Do you recognize this as a page from the HIM manual,
15 Mr. Stephenson?

16 A. Yes.

17 Q. Did you write this?

18 A. No.

19 Q. Were you around to supervise its creation?

20 A. I don't recall that particular one, being involved in
21 that. I could have been, I don't remember.

22 Q. Now, patient accounting on the left-hand side is the
23 program that you were most familiar with, right?

24 A. That is correct.

25 Q. Health Information Management, that's what HMS calls,

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1 another name for its medical records program; is that right?

2 A. Yes.

3 Q. And so it says at the top, "Patient Accounting Health
4 Information Management Interface." Do you believe this is an
5 accurate representation of the interface between patient
6 accounting and abstract?

7 A. Yes.

8 Q. Just walking down through it we see at step two there is a
9 final census step, and then an abstract is created with things
10 like patient number, patient name, history number and on down
11 the line.

12 Now, abstract is that database structure that you
13 testified to earlier, right?

14 A. Yes.

15 Q. And then in step three there is this optimizer function.
16 What is an optimizer function?

17 A. It basically is the DRG calculation program that
18 essentially takes the information from the system and computes
19 a DRG, that's diagnostic related group.

20 Q. Did HMS sell software that assisted service providers to
21 optimize their DRG reimbursement?

22 A. The optimizer calculates the DRG, yes.

23 Q. Did it ever-- Did it ever sell software in an attempt to
24 assist hospitals in maximizing the recovery from Medicare and
25 Medicaid through manipulating the DRGs?

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1 A. No.

2 MR. SMITH: Could you go to the next page, Alfonso.

3 BY MR. SMITH:

4 Q. So in step five, we have a final census and then abstract
5 is updated with a discharge date, and then abstract is
6 finalized. Do you see that?

7 A. Yes.

8 Q. And that's accurate, right?

9 A. Yes.

10 Q. And at that point, then this file called patients,
11 P-A-T-I-E-N-T-S, is updated with the same information that was
12 used to update abstract, right?

13 A. Yes.

14 Q. Now, patients is a file within patient accounting, right?

15 A. Correct.

16 Q. And without this step, without patients being updated, it
17 would seriously affect the operability of patient accounting,
18 right?

19 A. Well, the-- I guess clarifying seriously, however you said
20 that, the patient accounting can't function without medical
21 records, and so the updating of patients from medical records
22 or from the abstract would not be absolutely necessary. In the
23 sense of using medical records in the abstracting function,
24 then yes, then that information does update the patient's
25 file. However, patient accounting can function without that

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1 component.

2 Q. Is your testimony patient accounting as its been sold by
3 HMS for the last 20 years doesn't need abstract?

4 A. That is correct, and has been sold that way.

5 Q. Patient accounting is part of the base five of the five
6 main modules of software that the company initially started
7 with in 1985-1986, right?

8 A. Yes.

9 Q. Along with medical records, was that part of base five?

10 A. Yes.

11 Q. And you earlier testified that you worked on patient
12 accounting. Tell me, was patient accounting, was that part of
13 the software that Mr. Givens brought over with him from AMC?

14 A. I don't know whether he brought that or not. I started
15 writing it when I came over and I was writing new code, so I
16 don't know if he did or not.

17 Q. You were reviewing actual source code?

18 A. I'm sorry?

19 Q. You were reviewing actual source code when you started out
20 with AIC, weren't you?

21 A. I was writing source code.

22 Q. Did you review existing source code?

23 A. I don't recall reviewing existing source code.

24 Q. You never reviewed-- You don't recall reviewing existing
25 source code when you were writing applications for the patient

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1 accounting module?

2 A. I could have, I just don't remember. I remember writing
3 new code, new programs, but what I looked at when I was there,
4 I don't remember.

5 Q. And just so the Court is clear with-- there's lots of
6 acronyms floating around. AMC was the company that Mr. Givens
7 worked at during this 1983 meeting. He left there and started
8 a company called AIC, Advanced Information Concepts, which
9 became HMS.

10 So you don't recall reviewing patient accounting
11 source code in those early days at AIC, is that your testimony?

12 A. I'm sure I did. I don't remember reviewing it or what I
13 reviewed. I remember writing new programs, because that's what
14 I did day and night, but I could have, I just don't remember
15 that.

16 Q. Did you observe-- Did HMS put copyright notices on any of
17 its source code prior to 1994?

18 A. I don't recall. I don't recall that I did.

19 Q. Did AIC put copyright notices on its source code that it
20 distributed back in the mid '80s?

21 A. Again, I don't recall that.

22 Q. Do you recall-- maybe this will spark your memory, do you
23 recall ever seeing any copyright notice on the source code that
24 you worked on in patient accounting?

25 A. I don't remember seeing it.

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1 Q. Do you recall seeing a copyright notice from anybody,
2 Mr. Goldman, IBM, anyone?

3 A. No, I don't remember. I may have, I just don't remember.

4 Q. Earlier before we broke for lunch, you were going through
5 the numbers of HMS clients that had medical records, and you
6 can appreciate this is new information for the plaintiff.

7 Since January, 2002, you testified there had been 143
8 installations?

9 A. Yes.

10 Q. And between 1998 and 2001, 72 installations?

11 A. Yes.

12 Q. And then you testified that there was one customer that
13 had an enterprise license covering 85 installations; is that
14 right?

15 A. Yes.

16 Q. So those 85 would be already included in those numbers we
17 just reviewed?

18 A. No, they are not included.

19 Q. So we would have--

20 A. And I said I believe the number is 85. That number seems
21 right to me. It may be 84, it may be 86, I don't know, but
22 it's in that range.

23 Q. So these numbers that add up to 215, those relate to
24 contracts, not installations; is that right?

25 A. Those would be-- Those are installations for which we

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1 receive the license fees.

2 Q. So you could have hundreds out there that aren't paying
3 you a license fee?

4 A. No.

5 Q. You have more than one?

6 A. Well, the one that has the enterprise license is the one
7 that we are not, we don't receive a license fee for any
8 additional installations of the product.

9 Q. So my understanding is that your testimony on 215
10 installations only reflects those facilities that individually
11 pay you a license fee?

12 A. Correct.

13 Q. And you have others on top of that that have the software
14 installed, but for which you receive a license fee through some
15 other entity; is that right?

16 A. Well, they purchased an enterprise license fee at a point
17 in time that then allows certain applications, then as they
18 purchase additional hospitals or they additional hospitals,
19 they install those applications and they do not pay us a
20 license fee for each one along the way.

21 Q. And this enterprise function is a strength of HMS, isn't
22 it?

23 A. Yes.

24 Q. It's one of the markets that you pursue is these related
25 hospitals, right?

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1 A. Correct.

2 Q. And in fact, you're moving towards enterprise licensing;
3 is that right?

4 A. No.

5 Q. How many enterprise licenses does HMS have?

6 A. Only one.

7 Q. So it's your testimony that medical records is now
8 installed in only 300 facilities?

9 A. I'm sorry, say that again.

10 Q. It's your testimony that medical records, to the best of
11 your knowledge, is only installed in 300 facilities, the 215
12 plus the 85?

13 A. No, that's not what I said. The 215 represents what was--
14 what has been installed since '98 up through last September,
15 then there's 85 on top of that from-- or roughly the 85 number
16 from the enterprise license. So there, you know, that starts
17 at '98, so there are others prior to '98.

18 Q. Do you have any reason to doubt the testimony of people
19 like Tom Givens, Patricia Douglas, Paul Agee when they testify
20 regarding the number of customers, do you have any reason to
21 doubt their testimony?

22 A. No.

23 Q. It would have been very difficult for HMS to succeed when
24 it was starting out in the mid '80s without medical records; is
25 that right?

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1 A. I don't know if I could make that statement or not.

2 MR. SMITH: Would you put up Page 134 of

3 Mr. Stephenson's deposition.

4 THE COURT: I'm sorry, Mr. Smith, this is whose
5 deposition?

6 MR. SMITH: Mr. Stephenson's deposition.

7 THE COURT: Thank you.

8 MR. SMITH: Could we go to 133, please. Could we put
9 133 and 134 side by side, is that possible?

10 BY MR. SMITH:

11 Q. At the bottom of Page 133:

12 "Again, Mr. Stephenson, going back to the mid to
13 late '90s time frame, could AIC and HMS have succeeded without
14 medical records program?

15 "A. I guess it depends on your definition of
16 success."

17 And then going to the middle of Page 134, you qualify
18 it with, "You would have to speculate." But then you say, "I
19 think it would probably be very difficult."

20 Is that, as you sit here today, would that be your
21 testimony?

22 A. It would have been more difficult. Medical records was
23 certainly something that we-- that helped us get into the--
24 into the show when we went in to talk to people, but it was not
25 certainly wasn't the focal point of what we were selling at the

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1 time, but it certainly would have made it more difficult.

2 Q. Was patient accounting based on IBM's HFMS program?

3 A. I believe it started that way, yes.

4 Q. And you don't recall seeing any copyright notice from IBM
5 on the source code that you reviewed, right?

6 A. I don't remember seeing any, no.

7 MR. SMITH: May I have one moment?

8 (Pause in proceedings.)

9 MR. SMITH: No further questions.

10 THE COURT: Mr. Kay.

11 MR. KAY: I have no redirect, your Honor.

12 THE COURT: Thank you.

13 Mr. Stephenson, you may step down, sir, with the
14 Court's thanks.

15 (At 3:16 p.m., witness excused.)

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